

Curriculum Vitae

William Donald Hudson, Jr. (Don Hudson)

Born 28 June 1950 in St. Johnsbury, Vermont

Married 16 June 1979 to Josephine Wilcox Ewing (son, Charles McConnell born 20 February 1983; son, Reuben Hoyt born 22 July 1986)

Education

- 1983 Ph.D. Indiana University (Ecology and Evolutionary Biology)
Thesis: The Origin and Domestication of the Tomat , *Physalis philadelphica* Lam.
- 1979 M.S. University of Vermont (Botany)
Thesis: The Reproductive Biology of *Saxifraga stellaris* var. *comosa* on Mt. Katahdin, Maine.
- 1972 A.B. Dartmouth College (French; minor Environmental Studies)

Appointments

- 1982- The Chewonki Foundation, Wiscasset, Maine.
Head Naturalist and Teacher (1982-1999: Natural History of the Maine Coast),
Assistant Executive Director (1985-1991) Executive Director (1991-1997)
President and Trustee (1997- present).
- 1979-1982 Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana.
Associate Instructor of Introductory Biology, Developmental Zoology, Genetics
Laboratory, & Summer Flowering Plants.
- 1977-1979 University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont.
Teaching Assistant for Systematics and Phylogeny of Flowering Plants, Introductory
Botany & Vascular Plant Morphology.
- 1973-1976 The Chewonki Foundation, Wiscasset, Maine.
Member of the teaching staff of Maine Reach, with primary responsibility for coordination
of the library, natural history education, and wilderness trips.

Professional Service

- 2009- Midcoast Regional Redevelopment Authority, Trustee (appointed by Governor John Baldacci to
the organization charged with redeveloping Naval Air Station Brunswick)
- 2007- State of Maine, Allagash Wilderness Waterway Advisory Council (appointed by Governor John
Baldacci to advise the Maine Department of Conservation on the management of the wild and
scenic Allagash Wilderness Waterway)
- 2007-2009 State of Maine, Northern Forest Legacy Advisory Council (appointed by the David Soucy,
Director, Maine Bureau of Parks and Lands)
- 2006- Sheepscot River Watershed Council, Board of Directors
- 2006-2007 State of Maine, Allagash Wilderness Waterway Working Group (a 7-member group appointed by
Governor John Baldacci to evaluate the management of the Waterway and make
recommendations)
- 2006- Penobscot River Restoration Trust, Board of Directors – 1 of 2 outside members
- 2005- Maine Woods Forever, Board of Directors (Co-President 2005-2008; Treasurer 2008-)
- 2003- National Marine Educators Association (Treasurer 2003-)
- 2002-2006 State of Maine, Allagash Wilderness Waterway Advisory Council (appointed by Department of
Conservation Commissioner, Patrick McGowan)
- 2001- Gulf of Maine Council on the Marine Environment (appointed by Governor Angus King as
the Public Sector Representative for Maine; Chair, 2005-2006).
- 2000-2009 Friends of Baxter State Park, Charter Board of Directors, (Treasurer 2000-2007)
- 2000-2004 *Success By 6*, Board of Directors: A community-wide partnership in Mid Coast Maine dedicated
to ensuring that all area children get the best possible start in life, with the support of their
families and the whole community.
- 2001-2006 *Cornerstones of Science*, Advisory Board, Curtis Memorial Library, Brunswick, Maine: An
initiative to guide readers to the best books of and about science.

1998-2005	State of Maine, Advisory Commission on Radioactive Waste and Decommissioning (appointed by Speaker of the House, Elizabeth H. Mitchell)
1997-2005	Community Advisory Panel for the Decommissioning of Maine Yankee Atomic Power Plant (appointed by Governor Angus King; Vice-Chairman 1997-2005)
1996-	Gulf of Maine Marine Education Association, President (1998-2000), National Marine Education Association, Chapter Representative (1999-2003)
1995-1998	Coastal Maine Botanical Garden; Chair, Education Committee
1994-2001	Gulf of Maine Council on the Marine Environment, Public Education and Participation Committee (PEPC)
1994-	<i>Sentier International des Appalaches</i> /International Appalachian Trail, Maine Delegate to International Board of Directors (Vice-President, 2000-2001); Maine Chapter Board of Directors (Secretary, 1996-)
1993-1996	Maine Mathematics and Science Alliance, Equity Task Force
1992-1995	State of Maine, Waste Management Advisory Council, Maine Waste Management Agency (appointed by Governor John McKernan)
1992-1995	Maine Youth Camping Association, Board of Directors & Common Core of Learning Task Force
1992-1992	State of Maine, Botanical Advisory Committee, Natural Areas Program, Dept. of Conservation Biodiversity Conservation Delegation - Siberia & the Russian Far East, People to People International (August-September, 1992)
1991-1993	State of Maine, Nuclear Monitoring Issues Committee, State Planning Office (appointed by Speaker of the House, John Martin).
1991-	State of Maine, Baxter State Park Advisory Committee, Ad Hoc Member (1991-1999); Scientific Research Review Committee (1991-)
1988-1992	State of Maine, Endangered Plant Technical Advisory Committee, State Planning Office
1987-2000	Town of Arrowsic: School Board, Chairman (1989/90; 1993/94), Union #47 Chairman (1988-1991); Town Meeting Moderator (1998, 2000)
1986-2002	Merrymeeting Audubon Society, President (1988-1991)
1984-1998	Maine Environmental Education Association, President (1985-1989), Treasurer (1989-1998)
1984-2002	New England Botanical Club, Council Member (1983-1989), Recording Secretary (1989-1994; 2000-2002), Vice-President (1994-1996), President (1996-1998).

Publications

- Hudson, W. D., Jr. 1982. The flavonoid chemistry of domesticated and wild *Physalis philadelphica* Lam. Botanical Society of America Abstracts.
- _____, R. C. Cannarella, L. Garnett, and K. Huntington. 1985. Old-growth forest, subalpine forest, and alpine areas in Baxter State Park. Critical Areas Miscellaneous Report #31, State Planning Office, Augusta, Maine.
- _____, D. Parrella, K. Wolf, and M. Calderara. 1986. Old-growth forest, subalpine forest, and alpine areas in the Bigelow Preserve, Mahoosuc Mtns., and the Baldpates. Critical Areas Miscellaneous Report #34. State Planning Office, Augusta, Maine.
- _____ 1986. The relationship of domesticated and wild tomaté, *Physalis philadelphica* Lam., in W. G. D'Arcy (ed.) The 2nd International Symposium on the Biology and Taxonomy of the Solanaceae. Columbia University Press, New York.
- _____ 1987. The reproductive biology of *Saxifraga stellaris* L. var. *comosa* Retz. on Katahdin, Maine. Rhodora 89:1-12.
- _____ 1988. The preliminary flora of Baxter State Park. State Planning Office, Augusta, Maine.
- _____ 1990. Katahdin's Caribou; The Maine Caribou Project tries again. Summit 36 (2); 8-9.
- Cogbill, C.V. and W. D. Hudson, Jr. 1990. Alpine Plant Communities of Katahdin. A report prepared for the Murphy Fund AMC) and the Baxter State Park Authority.
- Hudson, W. D., Jr. 1992. Summary report on the status of *Prenanthes boottii* (alpine dwarf rattlesnake-root), Critical Areas Miscellaneous Report. State Planning Office, Augusta, Maine.
- _____ 2000. The dynamics of the New England flora: summary remarks. Rhodora 102:355-360.
- _____ and Z. L. Richards. (on-going research). Reproductive success of the Osprey, *Pandion haliaetus*, in coastal Maine.